

Title I: Parent Academy: Parent Orientation & Registration



Thursday, August 3, 2023

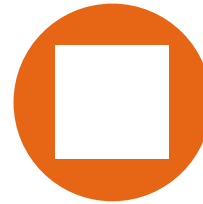
Agenda



MISSION



SCHOOL HOURS
& ATTENDANCE



3RD GRADE
COMMITMENT



TRANSPORTATI
ON



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PARENT
ACADEMY



TITLE I



MEDICATION &
REGISTRATION

Mission & Vision

To be THE
model of
excellence
and
innovation
in
education.



To educate, develop,
and nurture the mind,
body, and spirit of
children so that they
emerge as lifelong
learners and
world-ready leaders.



School Hours



- 7:45am-3:00pm
Mon-Thurs
- 7:45am-2:10pm Fri
- Doors open at
7:30 am
- Late at 8:00 am
- Morning Meeting
at 7:45am
- Breakfast in
Cafeteria: 7:30-
7:40

Attendance Policy

PROMISE ACADEMY ATTENDANCE POLICY & PROCEDURES*



Tardies/Early Releases	Absences	Consequences
3	2	Phone call to parent
5	3	Warning letter sent home with child, which MUST be signed and returned & follow-up phone conference
10	5	Meeting with parent
15	7	Warning letter sent home which MUST be signed and returned, and meeting with Assistant Principal
20	10	Notification to Office of District Attorney of truancy

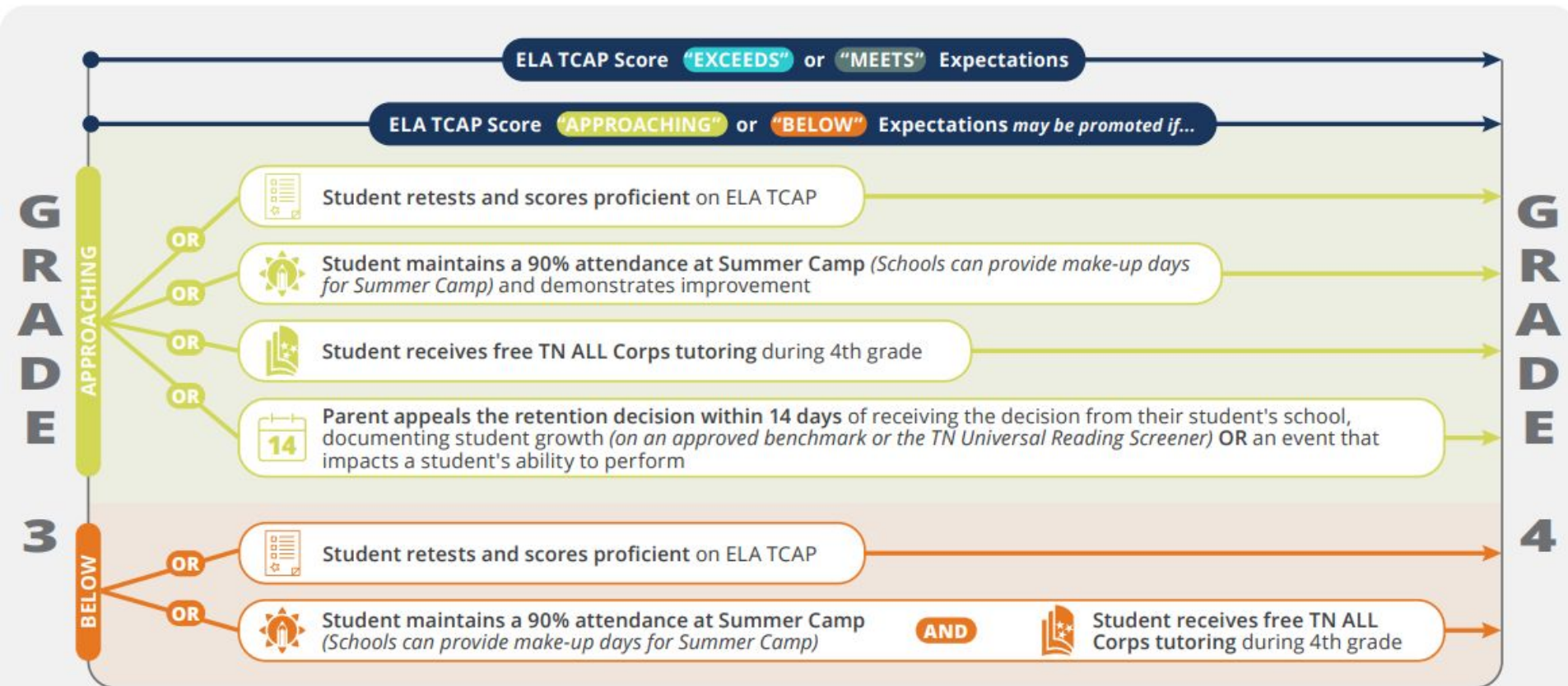
18 abs/20 tardies: removal from Promise Academy or mandatory retention.

Attendance Statistics

- **All children, regardless of socio-economic background, do worse academically in 1st grade if they are chronically absent** (missing 10 percent or more of school including excused and unexcused absences) in kindergarten.
- A recent study in California found that **only 17 percent of children chronically absent in both kindergarten and 1st grade were proficient readers by the end of 3rd grade** as compared to 64 percent of their peers who attended regularly (missing less than 5 percent of school.)
- **Going to school regularly in the early years is especially critical** for children living in poverty, who are less likely to have the resources to make up for lost time in the classroom.
- Among impoverished children, **chronic absence in kindergarten predicts the lowest levels of educational achievement** at the end of 5th grade

The following students are exempt from 3rd grade retention:

-  English learners with <2 years ELA instruction
-  Previously retained in grades K-3
-  Disability that impacts reading
-  Suspected disability that impacts reading



Transportation: Car Line

Arrival

- 7:30-8:00 am
- Use side of Bryant Street closest to the school
- Students will enter using the front door
- Watch for walkers
- Parents must walk students in after 8:00 am

Dismissal

- ▶ Dismissal runs the opposite direction down Bryant, in two lanes.
- ▶ Students will be called to the car by an employee
- ▶ Students should enter the car from the sidewalk unless escorted to the street/other side of the car by an adult
- ▶ Last car called-
 - ▶ 3:13 (M-Th)
 - ▶ 2:23 (F)

Transportation: Walker Door

Arrival

- 7:40-8:00 am
- Use the crosswalk
- Enter through the front door
- **No student should enter from Merton St. (back gate)**

Dismissal

- ▶ Use the crosswalk
- ▶ Students will be called by staff outside of SW 4
- ▶ Last student called-
 - ▶ 3:13 (M-Th)
 - ▶ 2:23 (F)

Transportation: School Bus

***Parents must pick up students from stop.**

2 Routes

- ▶ **Route 1: North Memphis/Frayser**
- ▶ **Route 2: North Mem/Raleigh**



Eligibility

- ▶ **All Students**
 - Parents complete paperwork
 - Parent & Emergency contact
- ▶ **Stop & Drop**
 - Parents must be present at the stop to pick up the child
 - No parent at stop, student will be brought back to school
- **Student Compliance**

Approved Bottoms



APPROVED Belts



NON - APPROVED

Non-APPROVED



After-Care: Boys & Girls Club

- BGC is understaffed currently.
- All families who have already paid for spots in December will remain enrolled.
- BGC will reach out to families to confirm enrollment.
- Once we are able to secure more staff, we will be able to re-open Enrollment.



BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
OF GREATER MEMPHIS

Tops/Jumpers



Approved



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Accessories-Approved



Ties- Approved



NON-APPROVED Ties



SHOES- Any sneaker/boot!



Light OUTERWEAR (inside school)

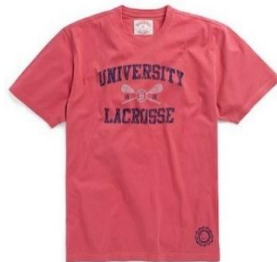


NON - APPROVED



Undershirts-

Any color/not visibly hanging



Parent Academy

- ▶ Parent/Teacher Data Conference (required each qtr)
- ▶ 1 additional event
 - ❑ Open House
 - ❑ iMoms & All Pro Dads
 - ❑ Family & Community Engagement
 - ❑ Math & Science Nt
 - ❑ Literacy Nt
 - ❑ TCAP Meeting

Title I/Federal Programs

- Receive Federal funding to support academic programs (Reading & Math intervention/Co-teachers)
- Teachers are licensed
- Rights to have proper notice
- School accountability
- School Improvement Plan

Title I: Parental Involvement Opportunities

- ▶ All meetings -in person
- ▶ 2 meetings per quarter
- ▶ Notification by email, kickboard/class dojo, letter, and phone
- ▶ Parent representative at all SIP meetings



Medication

- ▶ Over-the-Counter medicine is strictly prohibited. (cough drops, throat lozenges, aspirin, etc,)
- ▶ All prescription medications must be brought to the office.
- ▶ Student must have a medical authorization form completed by his/her Pediatrician authorizing medication at school.
- ▶ Only authorized personnel can dispense medication. (Nurse, Office personnel)

ASTHMA

- ▶ Student must have Asthma for on file in the office.
- ▶ Must be kept under lock and key.
- ▶ Cannot carry medication on person w/o notification of need from Pediatrician.
- ▶ Parent must complete Asthma Plan: provides in detail parent specifications for school personnel in the event student has attack. (take two breaths of inhaler twice, wait for 5 minutes before calling Parent)
- ▶ School Nurse will contact parents w/in the 1st month of school
- ▶ Need additional assistance see Mrs. Morris

Registration

Folders are at
each table a/c
grade level

Parents/Guardian
MUST sign in for
all students

Complete all forms,
sign, & return them

Proof of Residence:
Copies in office

Transportation Table:

- Route 1: North
Memphis/Frayser
- Route 2: North
Memphis/Raleigh

School
Supply Lists

Promise Academy Communication Channels

Phone Trees



Promise Academy
Charter School



PACSMemphis



Promise Academy
Hollywood



Smore Newsletter
Emails